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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.56 and 1.97**

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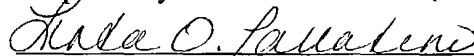
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- [X]** Applicants respectfully request that the cited references filed in the Information Disclosure Statement submitted in connection with parent application USSN 09/442,717 filed November 18, 1999 be transferred to the subject application for consideration by the Examiner

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Respectfully submitted



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